



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Gregory H. Lambrecht et al.

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For: CARDIAC VALVE PROCEDURE
METHODS AND DEVICES

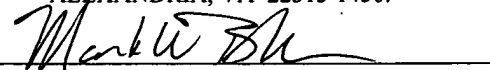
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Applicant respectfully petitions the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action mailed September 11, 2007, for two months from October 11, 2007, to December 11, 2007.

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